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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant	:	Gary E. Borodic, M.D.	)	Art Unit: 1644
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Serial No.	:	09/382,837	)	
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Filed	:	August 25, 1999	)	
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For	:	Chemodenervating	)	
		Pharmaceutical As	)	
		Anti-Inflammatory Agent	)	
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Examiner	:	G.R. Ewoldt, Ph.D.	)	

**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

**VIA FACSIMILE**  
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**ATTN: G.R. Ewoldt, Ph.D.**

Asst. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the office action mailed August 26, 2002, wherein the Examiner (1) rejected each of the pending claims on various statutory bases, (2) objected to the declaration, and (3) granted the benefit of priority to Provisional Application No. 60/097,846 for some of the claims but denied the benefit of priority for others.

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